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March 3, 2005

Honorable James H. Welsh,  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Office of Conservation  
P. O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: **APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING**  
Proposed Downhole Combination  
For Certain Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and  
Hosston Formation, Reservoir A Units in the  
Kingston Field  
DeSoto Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **WINCHESTER PRODUCTION COMPANY**, (Applicant), to the Commissioner of Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, Kingston Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana:

1. To permit the applicant to downhole combine the gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the units designated HOSS RA SUF and CV RA SUF, the HOSS RA SUG and the CV RA SUG, the HOSS RA SUH and the CV RA SUH, and the HOSS RA SUW and the CV RA SUQ, in the Kingston Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, such units shown on the attached plats and made a part hereof.
2. To find that that it would be in the interest of conservation, prevent economic waste and will assist in the efficient and effective production of the hydrocarbons from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoirs A, and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A in the units stated in No. 1 hereof.
3. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

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The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Kingston Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 376-C, effective May 2, 1978 and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 376-B, effective May 2, 1978.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of Bob F. Anderson, PE, Inc., 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Bob Anderson 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation can be obtained **at the expense of the requesting party.**

The subject matter of this application does not require a pre-application notice.

Pursuant to the revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this notice of this intended application is being sent. A copy of this letter and the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Attached is our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, to cover the applicable hearing fee.

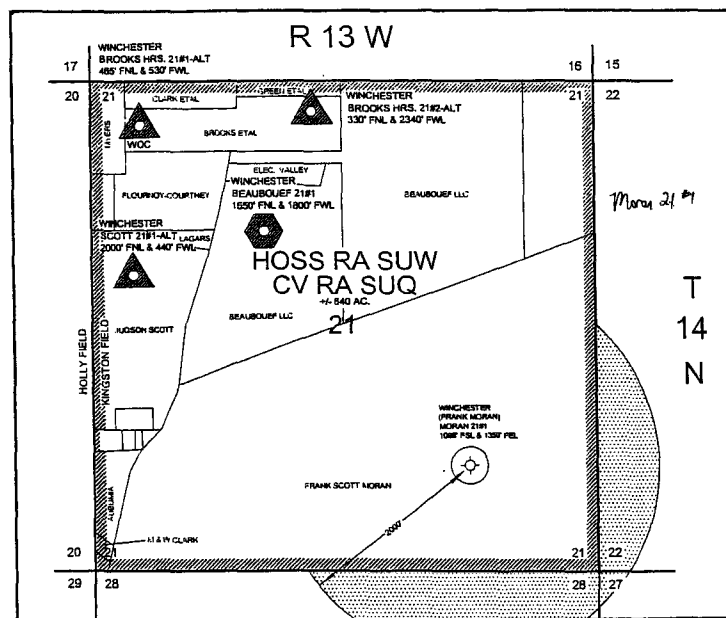
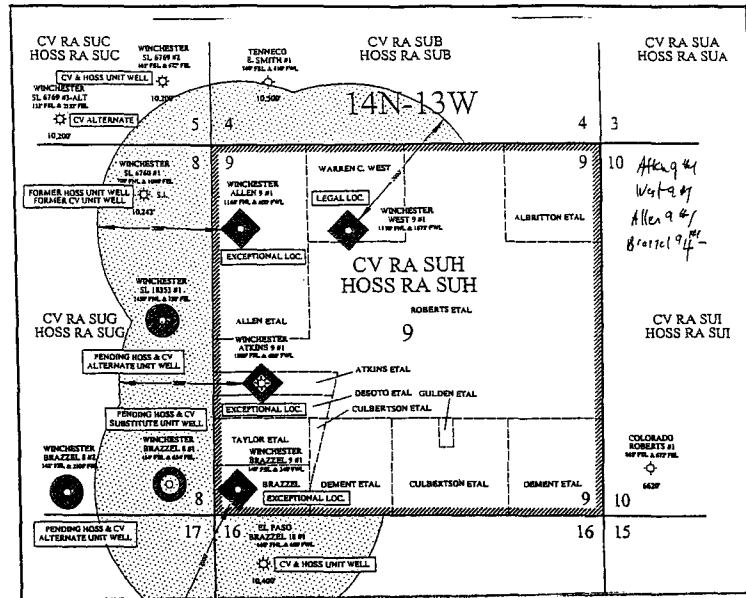
Yours truly,



B. F. Anderson, PE for  
**WINCHESTER PRODUCTION COMPANY**

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager Shreveport District Office of Conservation (w/encl.)  
Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (w/plat only)  
Winchester Production Company (w/encl.)





WINCHESTER PRODUCTION CO.

KINGSTON FIELD  
DESOTO PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED HOSSTON, RESERVOIR A, AND  
COTTON VALLEY, RESERVOIR A UNITS  
TO BE DOWNHOLE COMBINED

DOCKET NO.

EXHIBIT NO.